

Christmas is Coming

Do Your Choosing Early!

The spirit of the Christmas season here is common sense in selecting suitable gifts for men and boys!

It matters not what age He may be, buy those things which will not only please Him but that will give good service.

Don't trust to memory, but check below the articles you are interested in.

It will be only a pleasure for our splendid service to help you make a selection.

SUITS
OVERCOATS
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FUR COATS
SWEATERS
HOSIERY
RAIN COATS
DRESS SHIRTS
ETC., ETC.

We'll keep perfectly "Mum" in regard to any selections you may make—deliver the same when wanted—and then we'll willingly make any exchanges desired after Christmas!

Merry Christmas, Everybody!

Lamorey Clothing Co.,

We clean, press and repair clothing.

SOUTH RYEGATE

Miss Ruth Anderson has given up the nurse's training course at Barre hospital and returned from Barre Monday to her home here.

A. Anderson is in Boston and Quincy, Mass., on business this week.

Burton Brown of this place was married to Miss Minnie Chase at Sheffield, Wednesday, Dec. 1, and the young couple are now at W. T. Brown's on their honeymoon. Mr. Brown has accepted a position as overseer of stock on Dr. Allen's farm at St. Johnsbury and enters on his new duties next week.

Miss Ruth Bruce, who is teaching at East Montpelier, spent Sunday with her friend, Miss Ella Samuelson.

John McLean came Saturday from New York City to spend the winter with his sister, Mrs. M. F. McDonald.

Miss Maggie Smith of Walden, is spending the week with Mrs. M. F. McDonald on her way to Barre, where she will work as cook at Hotel Barre this winter.

Ray Bailey shot a doe and Lee Brock a buck, while out hunting Saturday.

Lloyd Darling started Saturday evening for Niagara Falls, N. Y., where he has employment with an electrical company.

The L. A. S. of the Presbyterian church realized \$210 from their Christmas sale.

Frank Courtney of Barre spent Sunday with his parents here.

Raymond Beaton returned Wednesday from Boston, where he had an operation on his nose.

Mrs. Christina Taylor, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. James Beaton, expects to return to her home in Boston this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. McLam and Mrs. Ida Pearson went to Barre Monday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Sanborn.

L. E. Whitehill has installed a pool table in the barber shop.

Mrs. Ida Pearson and George Crovo attended the funeral of C. F. Stevens at Barre Thursday.

Rev. S. T. Simpson, who preached in the Presbyterian church Sunday, went Sunday evening to Boston, where he will remain a week or more. He will supply the Presbyterian pulpit through December and January.

S. Mills, C. M. Libby, and N. A. Park are in St. Johnsbury this week on jury duty.

WILLIAMSTOWN.

Mrs. Hiram A. Thurber has gone to Worcester, Mass., to attend the funeral of her sister, Mrs. W. H. Buxton, of Elizabeth, N. J.

Regular meeting of the O. E. S. No. 57, on Monday, Dec. 13.

The date of the third number in the series given under the auspices of the Village Improvement society is Friday evening, Dec. 17. This entertainment is a lecture to be given by Morris Gershon Hildus, and his subject is "From the Old World to the New," in which the lecturer will discuss various phases of Russian life and literature. The speaker is thoroughly familiar with his subject and will undoubtedly throw much light on a side of European life that is of especial interest at the present time.

Mrs. Frank H. Martin and son, Frank Harvey, of Helena, Montana, are in town as the guests of her sister, Mrs. George Marr. Her husband, Dr. Frank H. Martin, has been for about two years past, located in Helena and is practicing osteopathy there.

Centenary M. E. church—Morning worship at 10:45. Sunday school at 12. Union service in the Congregational church in the evening at 7:30. Epworth league on Tuesday evening at 7:30. Everybody cordially invited to these services.

Mrs. Lucy Whitney, who is spending the winter in Montpelier, is in town for a day or two for a visit to her daughter, Mrs. W. P. Briggs, and to arrange her rooms in J. A. Perry's house.

Universalist church—Praying service at usual hour of morning service, with sermon on "Christianity, the Force of Produce, One Nation, One Language, One Religion, Over All the Earth."

Congregational church—Annual meeting and roll call on Friday evening, Dec. 10. Sunday services: Morning worship at 10:45. Sunday school at noon and union service at 7:30. Christmas Endeavor meeting on Tuesday evening at 7:30.

Regular meeting of Clarity chapter, No. 57, O. E. S., Monday night, December 13, at 7:30 p. m. There will be a program and light refreshments.

SOUTH WALDEN

Allen Brown returned to Westford last week Wednesday, after spending some time at the home of his sister, Mrs. Chauncy Downer. He took with him the deer which he shot, and two fox skins.

Mr. and Mrs. William Dutton returned to their home in Hardwick Thursday, after visiting at the home of his sister, Mrs. E. T. Goodenough, for a few days.

The Houston hill circle of King's Daughters will meet with Mrs. Harvey Chase all day Wednesday, Dec. 15.

Deer have been shot here by William Strong and his sons, Frank and Archie, of this place, and James Longmoor and his son, Archie, of Hardwick.

Frank Wilson, wife and baby of Cabot, and Harry Perkins, wife and baby were guests at Joseph Houston's Sunday.

The winter term of school on Houston hill began last week Tuesday, with Miss Armstrong of Danville as teacher.

A nine-month-old baby boy, Ralph, has come from Boston to live with Mr. and Mrs. Roger Houston.

Many Pleasing Articles Come and Look Them Over!



Manicure Requisites, by the piece or set, all good, serviceable articles—The latest in French Ivory—See large assortment at our store.

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Just the thing for travelers or tourists—something they'll appreciate better than anything you could think of—We have some splendid Travelers' and Tourists' Sets in French Ivory and Ebony.



Here's where your particular taste is given a choice selection of Fancy and Plain Writing Paper. Our supply is unlimited, carrying the most elaborate of Package Goods as well as the simple box of Paper and Envelopes, as low as 25c



What could you give to a man that would please him more than something he really needs? We carry many a serviceable article for gift-giving to men, at easy prices, too—Safety Razors, Strops, Lather Brushes, Shaving Soap, Cream, Stick, and Lotions—Military Brushes and Clothes Brushes in French Ivory.

Get Your Christmas Checks Cashed Here



For the Little Ones

there are any number of comfort, health and pleasure-giving articles here at our store—If you don't know what to get the child perhaps seeing some of these articles or others will suggest themselves to you:

Teething Goods, Toilet Sets, Bath Goods, Rubber Goods, Baby Foods, Nipples, Pacifiers, etc., etc.

Pocket Memorandums, Diaries, etc., are unequalled little gifts—A large assortment to choose from, all prices.

Christmas Seals, Tags, Labels, Stickers—Make your gift package look attractive—A few cents will do the trick.

Everybody Likes Candy.

Good Candy will speak well of your personal character and feeling toward the recipient—Good Candy is what you can get by purchasing it of us—Not special Christmas Candy, but the usual good Candy, put up in Christmas style—40c to \$3.00.

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Meat of All Kinds at Low Prices

Dairy Butter, per lb. 30c
Canned Peas 4 cans for 25c
Kerosene Oil Cans, each 21c
Clothes Pins, per dozen 1c

Special for Friday and Saturday
5 per cent. discount for cash

J. Michael Co.

AT ALEX. COREY'S STORE PROSPECT STREET

REYNOLDS & SON FIRE AND WATER SALE

Arcade Block, 171 North Main Street

All goods must be closed out before
December 31st, regardless of price

ORANGE

The young people's society of the church will have a play at the hall on Friday and Saturday nights of this week, Dec. 10 and 11. The play is entitled, "The Deacon's Second Wife," with the following cast: Malvina Fitz, Edna Beard; Deacon Darachias Fitz, Reuben Lord; Milton George Washington Fitz, Charles Curtis; Nancy Melissa Fitz, Phyllis Nelson; Mrs. Brown, Stella Nelson; Kate Rollins, Muriel Chamberlin; John D. Bullock, Theron Lord; Mrs. John D. Bullock, Bernice Flanders; Dorothy Bullock, Minnie Lord; Hartley Bullock, Archie Flanders; Ernest Rench, Charles Richardson; Philip Gamboe, Arthur Carpenter. Everyone cordially invited. Come and bring your friends. Admission, 20c and 15c.—Adv.

Full of Rheumatism

Your Case Is Not Hopeless When You Know Where to Seek Relief

The Red Cross Pharmacy or any drugist in this city will promise to give you money back if you are not cured of rheumatism after using two bottles of genuine Rheuma. To those who know the wonderful results secured with Rheuma, this offer is not necessary, but there are many who have failed to get results with other medicines, and this offer is made to convince the skeptical.

Hear what T. M. Baird of Delton, Mich., has to say: "I was taken with rheumatism in my hips and limbs. It was all I could do to walk or work. Last spring I tried a bottle of Rheuma, and three bottles did the work. I am not the only one here who has been benefited. Rheuma rids the system of uric acid, the poisonous sediment which is the chief cause of rheumatism."

Be sure to get the genuine—ask for Rheuma in liquid form. 50 cents.—Adv.



LOW PRICES FOR THIS WEEK

16 1/2 lbs. best Granulated Sugar for \$1.00
4 tumbler of 10c Prepared Mustard for 25c
3 bottles of fancy Ketchup 25c
3 pkg. Nene Since, Imperial, Service Mince Meat for 25c
3 pkg. Kellogg's Corn Flakes 25c
3 pkgs. Dromedary Dates 25c
Good Coffee in bulk, lb. 19c
All kinds of Meat, Lamb, Native Pig Pork, Western Beef, at low prices. Also low prices on Flour. Call in and see us. We will please you.

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CLEAN MILK IN VERMONT.

Standard of "Passable" Has Been Raised in Recent Years.

The wide-spread interest in the subject of pure milk in Vermont which is being shown by the editorial comment on examination tables published in the quarterly bulletin of the state board of health suggests that a word of explanation may profitably be given. A comparison of the recent tables and those of several years ago is likely to carry the impression that no improvement has been made, while this is really not the case. The test for dirty milk is a simple one which any one can apply. It is simply the appearance of dirt visible to the naked eye which appears in the bottom of a pint bottle of milk on standing.

When the examination of market milk was imposed upon the laboratory of hygiene, we made a distinction between very dirty milk and specimens showing a much less dirt content, classifying the latter as "passable." In 1912 the classification was changed as announced in the following language quoted from the annual report of 1912-1913. "Feeling that the time has come for more stringent regulations in this regard, the board, during 1913, changed its method of standardizing milk. Previous to this time, milk which contained only a small amount of dirt was reported 'passable' and classified as 'standard.' The new regulation puts all milk which contains visible dirt, no matter how small in amount, into the class of 'dirty milk.' The showing for the latter part of 1913, is, therefore, a poor one in this regard, but probably shows the true condition much more fairly than the previous classification."

This change was made because the classification of a milk as passable failed to stimulate the producer to reach the ideal of an absolutely clean milk.

The producer whose milk contains only a slight trace of dirt classified under the old standard as passable, is now reported as dirty, as it is, put the report received by the producer is supplemented with the following words:

"A little more care on the part of the producer should bring this sample within requirements."

A progressively larger and larger percentage of the specimens examined fall into this class, while it is very seldom that a real filthy specimen such as we often find is encountered. Thus under the old methods of classification a very much larger proportion of the specimens would now be graded as "passable" and the improvement which comparisons now fails to show, would be plainly evident.

R. H. Stone,
Director of laboratory of hygiene.

A Hunting Fatality.

Banger, Me., Dec. 10.—Charles Haskell, an angler of the Banger Ferry Co. at Millwater, was fatally shot yesterday at noon by Leonard Brock, a companion, also of Millwater, while hunting about five miles from that village. Death was instantaneous, two bullets from an automatic rifle entering Haskell's body, one passing the stomach and the other his liver. Haskell is survived by a wife and two small children. Friends say the shooting was accidental.

WESTERVILLE.

Services will be held in the Baptist church here both morning and evening next Sunday, also at Westington at 1:30 in the afternoon. W. H. Bishop, pastor.

WILL NOT STATE

POSITION ON MARTIAL CLERGYMEN

British Government Avoids Trap Set to Bring Up Discussion in the House of Commons.

London, Dec. 9.—"As there is nothing doing in Christianity at present, isn't it important that clergymen should enlist?" was the trap presented in the House of Commons yesterday to Harold J. Tennant, parliamentary undersecretary for war, by the Liberal member for Hanley, Robert L. Outhwaite. The question was put evidently with the object of starting a debate on the subject of enlistment of the clergy, upon which there has been considerable discussion for and against. Mr. Tennant, however, refused to be drawn.

ANGLO-FRENCH LOAN

SELLS DOWN TO 96

This One-Quarter Per Cent Under the Figures Paid by the Underwriters.

New York, Dec. 9.—Anglo-French notes sold on the stock exchange here yesterday at the new loan quotation of 96 for future delivery. This is one-fourth of 1 per cent under the price paid by members of the underwriting syndicate and a decline of two points from the price at which the notes were offered to the public. The banking syndicate which floated the \$500,000,000 loan expires by agreement Dec. 15, and the steady recession in this security is believed to represent short selling in anticipation of that event.

"Why were you late?"
"My watch was slow."
"I know it. That's from going with you so much."—Lampoon.

GRANITEVILLE

The regular meeting of Granite Mountain lodge, No. 7,897, will be held Friday, Dec. 10, at 6:30 p. m. Nomination of officers. All members are requested to be present on time. Per order N. G.

HEAVY MEAT EATERS HAVE SLOW KIDNEYS

Eat Less Meat if You Feel Backache or Have Bladder Trouble

No man or woman who eats meat regularly can make a mistake by flushing the kidneys occasionally, says a well-known authority. Meat forms uric acid, which excites the kidneys; they become overworked from the strain, get sluggish and fail to filter the waste and poisons from the blood, then we get sick. Nearly all rheumatism, headaches, liver trouble, nervousness, dizziness, sleeplessness and urinary disorders come from sluggish kidneys.

The moment you feel a dull ache in the kidneys or your back hurts, or if the urine is cloudy, offensive, full of sediment, irregular of passage or attended by a sensation of swelling, stop eating meat and get about four ounces of Jad Salts from any pharmacy; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast and in a few days your kidneys will act fine. This famous salt is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to flush and stimulate the kidneys, also to neutralize the acids in urine so it no longer causes irritation, thus ending bladder weakness. Jad Salts is inexpensive and cannot injure; makes a delightful, effervescent, lithia-water drink, which everyone should take now and then to keep the kidneys clean and active and the blood pure, thereby avoiding serious kidney complications.—Adv.

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